

A copy of the original version of this paragraph annotated to show the changes made by this amendment is attached as Exhibit A.

REMARKS

In reviewing this application, a typographical error was found on page 3, line 26. The above amendment is made to correct that error.

Respectfully submitted,

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Exhibit A
Annotated Copy of Paragraph Which Appears at
Page 3, Line 26 to Page 4, Line 4.

Other methods, such as those described in U.S. Patent No. [5,300,623] 5,300,263, involve the creation of mechanical molds that define receptacles for curable liquids. The liquid is poured into the receptacles and the natural surface tension creates a bowed surface that serves as the microlenses. The mold, with the various receptacles, defines the array arrangement. Due to the inherent limitation of this method in controlling the shape of the microlens units, its efficiency cannot be optimized for a general application. Other mechanical methods based on the direct ruling of individual microlenses, such as diamond turning, are better suited for the fabrication of individual microlenses rather than arrays.